

NOTICE OF GRANT AVAILABILITY

NAME OF GRANT PROGRAM:

New Jersey Cancer Education and Early Detection
(NJCEED) Program

STATUTORY AUTHORITY:

Breast Cancer Mortality Act 1990

GRANT PROGRAM NO. 07-47-CED

TYPE OF AWARDS TO BE ISSUED:

Cost-reimbursement Grants

PURPOSE FOR WHICH THE GRANT PROGRAM FUNDS WILL BE USED:

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) funding is used to maintain outreach, education, screening, tracking and follow-up for breast and cervical cancer services to women at or below 250% of the Federal Poverty Level who are uninsured/underinsured and are age 50-64 years. State appropriated funds are used for outreach, education, screening, tracking and follow up for persons who are at or below 250% of the Federal Poverty Level who are uninsured/underinsured for: prostate cancer, colorectal cancer, breast (women under 50 and over 64 years of age), and, cervical cancer for women 18 years and older. Types of grant programs and the amount of funds released vary annually and are contingent upon the receipt of funds.

AMOUNT OF MONEY IN THE GRANT PROGRAM:

Approximately \$2.5 million in Federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) funding and approximately \$5 million in state funds should be available in Fiscal Year 2007 (July 1, 2006-June 30, 2007) to fund at least twenty-five (25) awards. It is expected that the average award will be approximately \$150,000. Funding estimates may vary and are subject to the actual amount of funds received. Applicants currently being funded for any of the above activities, who have performed satisfactorily, will be given first consideration for continued funding.

ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS MUST COMPLY WITH THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

1. Terms and Conditions for the Administration of Grants
2. General and specific Grant Compliance requirements issued by the Granting Agency.
3. Applicable Federal Cost Principles relating to the Applicant

GROUP OR ENTITIES WHICH MAY APPLY FOR THE GRANT PROGRAM:

Depending on the types of proposals released, applicable agencies may be not-for-profit: health departments, hospitals, community health centers, visiting nurse associations, federally qualified health centers, family planning agencies, etc.

QUALIFICATIONS NEEDED BY APPLICANT TO BE CONSIDERED FOR A GRANT:

Depending on the nature of the services to be provided, applicants may need to have specialized staff (clinical providers, health educators, case managers, patient navigators, etc.) to conduct grant activities and have the ability to provide/assure treatment, if breast, cervical, prostate and/or colorectal cancer is diagnosed.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

Based on the availability of funding, Request for Applications (RFAs) will be mailed to targeted agencies. Technical Assistance meetings will be held. Grant applications received will be reviewed and grants will be awarded based upon the amount of funds available.

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DEADLINE BY WHICH APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED AND DATE BY WHICH APPLICANT SHALL BE NOTIFIED WHETHER THEY WILL RECEIVE FUNDS:

Applications are submitted approximately 4 weeks after release of the RFA. Applicants will be notified of the award approximately 4-6 weeks after completed applications are reviewed and approved by the Department.